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- X Copy of Return Postcard from Original Filing (1 pg.).
- \underline{X} Copy of original, signed declaration and power of attorney (3 pgs.).

Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.27.

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Applicant assumes the application is now in proper order and in condition for examination. Please direct any inquiries to the undersigned attorney at (612) 373-6905.

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Respectfully submitted, Kathryn E. Uhrich

By his Representatives, SCHWEGMAN, LUNDBERG, WOESSNER & KLUTH, P.A. P.O. Box 2938 Minneapolis, MN 55402 (612) 373-6905

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Receipt is hereby acknowledged for the following in the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

CONTENTS: (CONTINUATION):Specification (39 pgs, including claims numbered 1 through 34 and a 1 page Abstract);Copy of Signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pgs) from prior application; return postcard and transmittal sheet.

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Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 385 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

 Additional claim fees of \$361 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$811 for a Small Entity

- \$385 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$361

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\$216 for **24** total claims over 20.

• \$145 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

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